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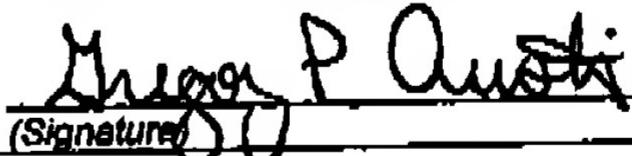
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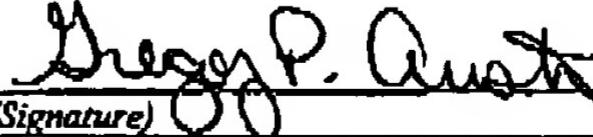
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Applicant's or agent's file reference 14094-009W01	FOR FURTHER ACTION	see Notification of Transmittal of International Search Report (Form PCT/ISA/220) as well as, where applicable, item 5 below.
International application No. PCT/US03/29629	International filing date (day/month/year) 22 September 2003 (22.09.2003)	(Earliest) Priority Date (day/month/year) 20 September 2002 (20.09.2002)
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This international search report has been prepared by this International Searching Authority and is transmitted to the applicant according to Article 18. A copy is being transmitted to the International Bureau.

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It is also accompanied by a copy of each prior art document cited in this report.

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A. CLASSIFICATION OF SUBJECT MATTER

IPC(7) : A01N 43/04; A61K 31/715
 US CL : 514/54, 58, 59, 60

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B. FIELDS SEARCHED

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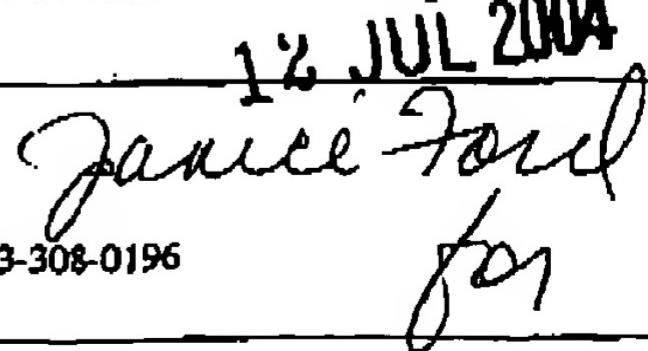
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Category *	Citation of document, with indication, where appropriate, of the relevant passages	Relevant to claim No.
Y	US 5,100,878 A (GEBER) 31 March 1992 (31.03.1992), columns 1-4.	1-31
A		32-73
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